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Ms. Magalie R. Salas, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
The Portals
445 12th Street, S.W. TW-A325
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: IB Docket No. 00-248
Ex Parte

Dear Ms. Salas:

On November 27, 2001, Kalpak Gude and Donna Bethea of PanAmSat Corporation ("PanAmSat"), plus the undersigned counsel representing PanAmSat, had a teleconference with Don Abelson, Chris Murphy, Cassandra Thomas, and Steven Spaeth of the International Bureau concerning the above-referenced proceeding. The conversation centered on an *ex parte* filing made by the Satellite Industry Association ("SIA") on November 5, 2001, making proposals developed by a group of industry experts that SIA had convened. PanAmSat took the position that the Commission should not resolve the issues in this proceeding in piecemeal fashion. Rather, it was suggested that the Commission take whatever time is needed, and give whatever notice

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to interested parties is appropriate, so that the SIA proposal can be taken fully into account when the Commission adopts an initial Report and Order.

Sincerely,

/s/ Henry Goldberg_____

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